

## **Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listing of claims in the application.

Claims 1-10 are amended.

## **Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device for drinks or similar dosable liquid foodstuffs, ~~in particular coffee and/or milk or similar hot drinks~~, comprising  
supply means (5, 6) adapted to supply at least two different hot drinks;  
filling outlets (20, 20') adapted to fill dispense a hot drink into at least one container (1, 2) with the hot drinks;  
drink pipelines connecting the supply means to the filling outlets;  
accessory pipelines for supplying and carrying away an accessory fluid in the form of at least one of flushing agents for cleaning, hot water or steam for prewarming, or other similar fluid; and  
valve means for stopping and opening (30) to block and open said drink pipelines (9) between the supply means (5, 6) and the filling outlets and adapted to connect said (20, 20'),  
characterized in that  
~~the valve means (30) are designed so that accessory pipelines (11, 12, 15) for supplying and/or carrying away flushing agents for cleaning, hot water or steam for prewarming, or similar accessory fluids can be connected to the valve means (30) instead of the drink pipelines (9), so as in order to treat the valve means (30) in the regions through which the hot drinks flow.~~
2. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to Claim 1, wherein characterized in that the valve means (30) comprises at least one movable sliding element (40, 50) that can be moved by and a motor for moving said movable element, and defines incorporates at least two channels (41, 42; 52, 53), each of which in a first position of said movable element is assigned to at least one particular mode of operation for dispensing the hot

drink, and in a second position of said movable element is connected to the accessory pipelines (11, 12).

3. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to Claim 2, wherein one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the sliding movable element (40, 50) is constructed as a rotary disk.
4. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to one of the Claims 2 or 3, wherein characterized in that the filling outlets (20, 20') are mounted directly adjacent to said movable the sliding element (40, 50).
5. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to one of the Claims 2, wherein to 4, characterized in that at least two of said movable or more sliding elements (40, 50) are provided and each defines contain channels (41, 42, 52, 53) such that two or more hot drinks can be supplied to the same filling outlets (20, 20') either simultaneously or sequentially, as desired.
6. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to Claim 1, wherein said one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the filling outlets each define (20, 20') are provided with at least two flow channels (21, 22) that are separated in such a way that the hot drinks flowing through said the separated flow channels (21, 22) are not mixed until after they have left the filling outlets (20, 20'), i.e. are mixed essentially while in the container (1, 2).
7. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to one of the Claims 2, wherein to 5, characterized in that the said channels (41, 42; 51, 52) can be connected to one another in such a way that said accessory fluid can flow through several channels (41, 42; 51, 52) simultaneously.
8. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to Claim 1, wherein one of said one of the preceding claims, characterized in that a single accessory pipelines (15) is provided

to carry away said accessory fluid, which the accessory fluid can be passed through said the drink pipelines, (9) and means being provided to block off said the drink pipelines (9) ~~can be blocked off~~ at a site directly ahead, in the flow direction, of the inflow openings provided for the accessory fluid.

9. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to Claim 1, wherein one of the preceding claims, characterized in that control means (3) are provided and are constructed in such a way that after a drink-filling process is completed a rinsing process can be carried out.
10. (Currently Amended) Dispensing device according to Claim 1, wherein one of the preceding claims, characterized in that there is integrated into in the valve means (30) include a foaming device to produce foam, in particular of milk, by means of at least one of steam and/or air.